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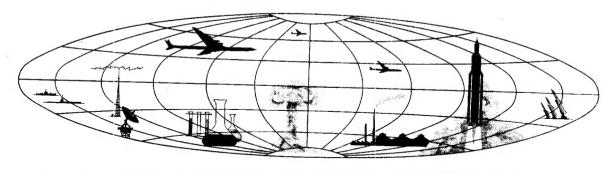


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### IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3328 DATED 28 DECEMBER 1962. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

BELLAMAR, SUSPECT SSM ACTIVITY 2302N 08133W

NO MISSILE ACTIVITY NOTED.

25X1D

LOMA DE TIERRA, MILITARY CAMP 2301N 08213W

APPROXIMATELY 196 TANKS, 650 CARGO TRUCKS, 12 LOWBED TRAILERS, AND 38 OTHER VEHICLES.

25X1D

SANTA CRUZ DEL NORTE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2309N 08156W

TWO UNCOVERED MISSILES ON LAUNCHERS IN REVETTED POSITIONS. APPROXIMATELY 10 VEHICLES IN AREA.

25X1D

GUERRA POSSIBLE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2300N 08250W

NO MISSILE ACTIVITY NOTED.

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#### -AIRFIELDS-

SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD 2252N Ø8231W

AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL OF 66 INCLUDING 13 FISHBED, ONE FARMER, 26 FAGOT/FRESCO, 11 B-26, 5 LIAISON, 7 UNIDENTIFIED SINGLE-ENGINE, ONE CAB AND 2 CRATE. RUNWAYS SERVICEABLE.

JOSE MARTI INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2300N 08224W

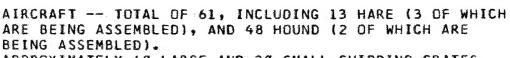
AIRCRAFT -- TOTAL OF 31 INCLUDING 10 FARMER, 3 CONSTELLATION, 4 BRITANNIA, 3 C-46, 2 C-47, 3 CRATE, ONE B-26, ONE C-54, 2 LIAISON, AND 2 SMALL TWIN-ENGINE .

25X1D

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25X1A

PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD 2302N 08235W



APPROXIMATELY 40 LARGE AND 30 SMALL SHIPPING CRATES OBSERVED IN AREA. APPROXIMATELY 100 VEHICLES ALSO NOTED.

25X1D

25X1A

-PORTS-

MARIEL NAVAL PORT 2301N 08245W

VESSELS -- 7 KOMAR-CLASS PGMG AND 2 PF. ONE FREIGHTER AT LA BOCA PIER. FIFTEEN TRUCKS AND 10 PROBABLE FROG MISSILE TRANSPORTERS AT LA BOCA PIER.

25X1D

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CARDENAS PORT 2302N 08112W

VESSELS -- ONE FREIGHTER AND NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT.

25X1D

MATANZAS PORT

2303N 08134W

VESSELS -- ONE: PATROL CRAFT AND 2 FREIGHTERS. NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT NOTED.

25X1D

25X1A

HAVANA PORT 2308N 08221W

VESSELS -- 29 FREIGHTERS, ONE PF, 3 PC, 4 PT, AND NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT.

-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

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LA FLORA AREA. MILITARY STORAGE 2252N Ø8233W

VEHICLES -- APPROXIMATELY 60. TEN BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

25X1D

25X1A

ARTEMISA, MILITARY CAMP 2251N Ø8248W

NO CHANGE IN TANK, PROBABLE FROG MISSILE TRANSPORTER, OR VEHICLE COUNT.

25X1A

SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2258N 08220W

FOURTEEN TANKS, APPROXIMATELY 50 TRUCKS AND 2 POSSIBLE FROG MISSILE TRANSPORTERS VISIBLE. FOLIAGE PRECLUDES A MORE DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

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25X1D 25X1A TORRENS, MILITARY CONCENTRATION 2259N Ø8228W NO APPARENT CHANGE IN VEHICLE COUNT OR FACILITIES. 25X1D MANAGUA, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2258N Ø8217W APPROXIMATELY 90 FA PIECES PARKED ALONG MANAGUA AIRFIELD RUNWAY. NO CHANGE: IN VEHICLE COUNT. 25X1D SPECIAL AREA BRAVO RED 2254N Ø8231W NO MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED. 25X1D PUNTA COLUMBO, LANDING BEACH 2154N Ø8246W NO MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED. 25X1D PLAYA DE: FLAMENCOS, LANDING BEACH 2153N Ø8243W NO MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED. 25X1D 25X1B

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### -STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THERE WERE NO TARGETS COVERED EAST OF 80 DEGREES 30 MINUTES WEST LONGITUDE ON MISSION 3328.

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO CHANGE SINCE LAST COVERAGE --

25X1A

SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 1 GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 1 SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 4 MATANZAS CITY, LA CUMBRE ALTA LA COLOMA SAM SITE	224ØN Ø8317W	
CANADAY IKBM SITE I	2257N Ø8239W	
SAN CRISTUBAL MRBM SITE 4	2246N Ø8258W	
MAIANZAS CITY, LA CUMBRE ALTA	2304N 08133W	
LA CULUMA SAM SITE	2218N Ø8332W	
MARIEL SAM SILE	2300N 08249W	
MATANZAS SAM SITE	23Ø1N Ø8129W	
BAHIA HONDA SAM SITE	2257N Ø8317W	
HAVANA SAM SITE	23Ø9N Ø8213W	
SIGUANEA SAM SILE	21 274 002571	
SANTIAGO DE LAS VECAS SAN ASSENTANTA		
DELETTE ALTERNATE SAM SITE	2201N 00271M	
PINAR DEL RIO SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2321N 88844W	
DELETTE ALTERNATE SAM SITE PINAR DEL RIO SAM ASSEMBLY AREA SIGUANEA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE CAMPO FLORIDA POSSIBLE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2127N 08339W	
CAMPO FLORIDA POSSIBLE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	213/N 08258W	
O LOUANTER AIRFIELD		
CORONEL PASCHAL ATRETELD	2138N Ø8257W	
CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD CAMPO LIBERTAD AIRFIELD MARIEL NAVAL AIR STATION MANAGUA AIRFIELD CABANAS PORT BAHIA HONDA PORT	2307N 08117W	
MARIEL NAVAL ATP STATION	2306N 08226W	
MANAGUA AIREIEID	2300N 08246W	
CARANAS PORT	2258N Ø8217W	
BAHIA HONDA PORT	2259N Ø8256W	
PUNTA GERAPRO CECURED DOOR TOOK	2255N Ø8311W	
PUNTA GERARDO, SECURED PORT FACILITY	2256N Ø8311W	
HAVANA AREA, COMMUNICATIONS CENTER LA BOCA, MILITARY CAMP BAHIA HONDA AREA, MILITARY CAMP CABANAS AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2300N Ø8226W	
BANIA MONDA ADEL	2301N 08242W	
CARANAS ARGA MILITARY CAMP	2258N Ø8311W	
WINDS AURUNITION STURAGE AREA	2307N Ø8212W	
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SAM SUSE UE LAS LAJAS AREA. MILITARY CAMP	2255N Ø821ØW	
SPECIAL AREA ALPHA	2258N Ø8227W	

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SPECIAL AREA HOTEL	23Ø1N	Ø8246W
SPECIAL AREA BRAVO BLUE	225ØN	Ø8233W
SPECIAL AREA VICTOR	2300N	Ø8234W
SPECIAL AREA TANGO	2258N	Ø8244W
TARARA AREA, LANDING BEACH	231ØN	Ø8212W
MATANZAS, BEACH	2302N	Ø8126W
VARADERO, LANDING BEACH		Ø8119W
SAN FRANCISCO DE PAULA, MUNITIONS STORAGE	23Ø3N	Ø8218W
BEJUCAL MUNITIONS STORAGE SITES		Ø8223W

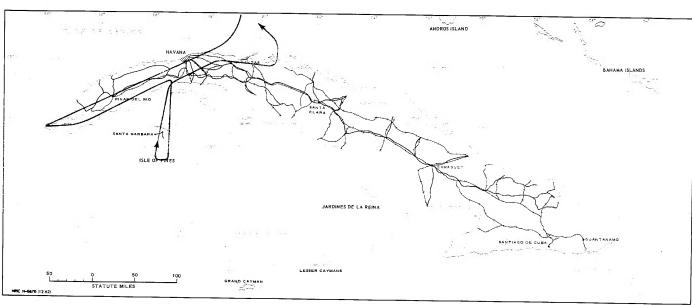
THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED --

COLONEL MARTIN MARRERRO AIRFIELD	2150N 08247W
NUEVA GERONA PORT	2153N Ø8248W
SURGIDERO DE BATABANO NAVAL PORT	2241N Ø8218W

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS WERE NOT COVERED OR WERE NOT OBSERVED BECAUSE OF ADVERSE WEATHER OR OTHER CONDITIONS. --

SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 3	2242N Ø83Ø8W
SANTO TOMAS AREA, SUSPECT SSM ACTIVITY	
	2233N Ø8351W
SANTA LUCIA SAM SITE	2241N Ø8355W
SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD SAM SITE	2205N 08409W
DELEITE SAM SITE	2259N Ø8Ø45W
SANTA LUCIA ALTERNATE SAM SITE	2243N Ø8349W
SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD	2206N 08409W
PINAR DEL RIO AIRFIELD	2225N Ø8341W
SANTA LUCIA, PORT FACILITIES	224ØN Ø8358W
LA COLOMA PORT	2214N Ø8334W
MENDOZA O ISABEL RUBIO, TRANSSHIPMENT POINT	2209N 08405W
PINAR DEL RIO, MILITARY CONCENTRATION	2223N Ø8342W
SANTA BRIGIDA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	23Ø4N Ø8137W

25X1B



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